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Messrs Walls and Bell have installed an electric light plant in their garage.

There will be a meeting of the U.F.A. in the Fire Hall on Saturday, October 20th at 3 o'clock.

Rev Bathurst Hill and Mr. M. Eugene Sly have been appointed members of the local tribunal.

The Proclamation calling on Class 1 into the Military Service Act, appears on page 8 of this issue

Anglican Church Services for Sunday next are as follows—8.30, Nunsuck, 3 o'clock Cornhill, 7.30, Strathmore.

The first signs of winter appeared on Tuesday, when the citizens awoke and found Mother Earth covered with a mantle of snow some 3 inches in depth.

Mr. F. H. Tucker was appointed Secretary of the School Board (replacing G. H. Hill, resigned) at a meeting of that body on Thursday last.

Quite a number of young fellows from this district have been to Calgary during the past week to get examined by the Medical Board.

See W. E. Brown's Furniture window Saturday, October 20th for the exhibit of fancy work to be sold at the Presbyterian Bazaar.

PIANO AND VOICE PRODUCTION

Mrs. Brophy, of Boston, Mass., will visit Strathmore, on Friday and Saturday. Arrangements for lessons can be made at Strathmore Hardware Co., phone 51, or at Studio 581 Underwood Block, Calgary. During the last two years Mrs. Brophy has been in Boston taking special courses in Voice and Piano Production.

The interior of the Opera House has received a coat of paint during the past week. "Dad" feels quite proud of his pet charge and says "I say now; they ain't another such place on the long, no sub."

Owing to the recent storm and the inability of the outside members to come in by auto, it has been decided to postpone the Masonic Lodge of Instruction till Monday evening, November 12th.

The evening service at the Anglican Church on Sunday next, will take the form of a memorial service for the boys who enlisted from Strathmore and have been killed in action, died from wounds or from accident.

Keep in mind the date, Wednesday, October 31st—it is the Annual Bazaar of the Presbyterian Ladies Aid. It will be an interesting afternoon and evening bazaar will be opened at three o'clock by Mrs. F. C. Boley. Tea will be served throughout the afternoon. The variety of work promises to be better than ever before, both in fancy and practical articles, besides abundance of home made candy and cooking. Nothing will be sold before three o'clock and members of the Aid will not buy before 5 o'clock. A good programme will be given in the evening. Watch for posters. You can't afford to miss it.

Ye Editor gets a Feast of Ye Succulent Strawberry

The Editor was agreeably surprised last week when, through the courtesy of a lady reader, he was enabled to enjoy a dish of strawberries and cream. The berries which were grown in the garden of Mrs. J. B. Sim, Nunsuck, were fully ripened and were of good size and were picked on October 6th. Truly this is remarkable for Alberta. A good supply of cream accompanied the gift, and, needless to say, when lunch time came around on 22 Ed just "went to it," feasted like a monarch, and vowed to keep in with the fair sex.

Notice to U.F.A. Members
Mr. H. Wood, President of the Association, will give two addresses in the Methodist Church on Sunday at 11 and 7.30.

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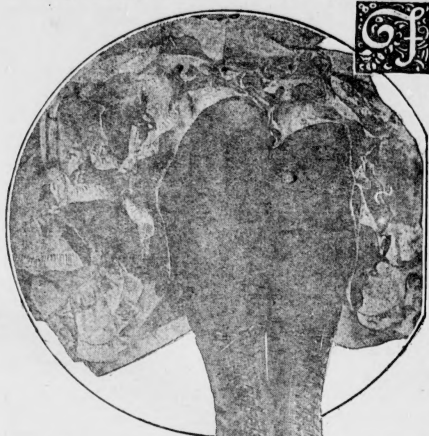
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FOOTWEAR has come to be more than a necessary accessory of woman's wearing apparel. It is now of as much importance as her hat, her blouse or her frock. When footwear first became of great consequence, women went mad over the idea and were willing to wear any kind of boot that boasted of delicate colors and impractical makeup. What cared they whether the boots worn with trim tailored suits and hats were of colors and texture suitable for dressy costumes? But the storm has subsided and women's tastes have been tempered; consequently, footwear has taken a sensible turn. True, there will still be delicately colored boots and boots that go the limit so far as height is concerned, but they will be reserved for the proper occasion. For practical wear, the boots worn this season by women of refinement will not be more than eight or nine inches high. And as for the fastenings of them, buttons are considered newer, but many women will remain loyal to the laces, realizing that with their aid better-fitting boots will result.

The military heel, which is depicted in the black-and-white models and in the brown and champagne boots, is in the lead. Of course, the modified French heel will also be favored.

It is quite noticeable that the long vamp is the popular one this season. Equally as prominent is the use of perforations for the purpose of ornamenting the leather portions of the boots. And the brown walking boot is a very good example of the winged toe, which promises to be very much in evidence.

It will be welcome news to many that spats have lost none of their value from a fashionable viewpoint. With tailored costumes, the tan pump or oxford, with spat to match, or in lighter shade, is in good taste. For wear with dressy afternoon costumes, the patent leather or soft kid pump, with a spat of gray or fawn color, is in order.

Needless to say that the fabric top is the one of the moment. There will be many whole-leather boots, but those of the former class will be in the majority.

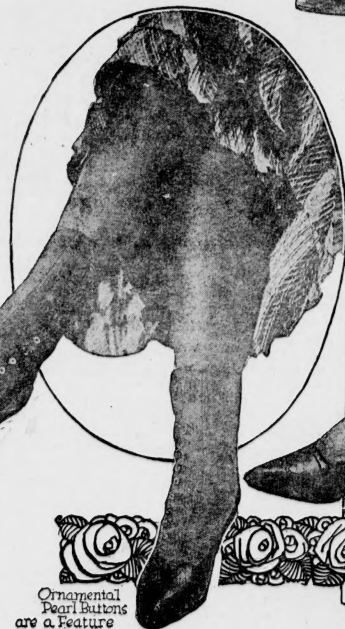
Just a word about evening footwear. Gold and silver slippers continue to be in the lead, while white, pink, black and blue satin models will be used to carry out the matching idea.



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Although we are in the habit of roasting or criticizing at various times, we believe in Fairplay.

We consider the Mayor's attack on the local police at the Council meeting last week was unwarranted and uncalled for.

There had been no complaints made regarding police force (and had there been, that would be for the Police Committee to investigate) Yet the Mayor (who for once lowered the dignity of the Mayoral chair, and so far forgot himself that he created a scene unparalleled in the history of the Council) lashed back and forth and ridiculed with no apparent cause whatever.

As head of the town it is his duty to try and aid the police rather than to ridicule them.

If, as he stated, the police administration of the town is lax, why does he not lay his complaint before the Police Committee in a proper manner, when his charges would be looked into.

The whole thing arose out of that much debatable question "Shall Curfew ring tonight?"

Through the courtesy of Mr Don H. Berk, of the C.P. Irrigation Department we were enabled to pay a visit to some plots on which he is carrying out a series of interesting experiments in an endeavour to find suitable fodder and pasture grasses for this country and also an alfalfa that will best stand the winter. The experiments which should interest every farmer in the country, are being carried out on a triangular plot opposite the Public School. To the ordinary passerby these plots have not, perhaps, been looked upon as being of much importance, but to the farmer the results of these experiments are of intrinsic value. It is only when one goes through the various plots and hears the description of the various varieties of grasses, clover and alfalfa, their values as a food, either as hay or pasture, and why the tests are being carried out, that one is able to appreciate thoroughly the work that is being undertaken. We cannot here attempt to describe the various mixtures and varieties that are being experimented with, as space forbids, but they include some so varieties of alfalfa and grasses and clovers galore. Considering these were only planted in June they have made wonderful growth and we are awaiting with interest the result of their ability to stand the winter.

Chautauqua Coming to Strathmore

November 22-23-24

Word was received this week to the effect that Chautauqua will be in Strathmore on November 22nd, 23rd and 24th. As we have previously stated Chautauqua is the highest educational entertainment that has appeared on this Continent and the programme embraces, art, literature and music, in which some of the world's greatest artists and entertainers will appear in a series of six entertainments, two each day afternoon and evening. Strathmore has been able to obtain this Dominion renowned series of entertainments through the efforts of a number of local business men and citizens who have guaranteed the necessary amount required by the Chautauqua promoters and we here make an appeal to the people of town and country to turn out in

large numbers and lend their support. Announcements regarding prices of admission, and where tickets can be obtained, will appear in future issues. Keep the dates in mind, November, 22, 23 and 24.

Namaka Notes

The annual business meeting of the Red Cross Society was held on Thursday, October 14th, when the following officers were elected:—President, Mrs Jessie Bell; 1st Vice President, Mrs C. White; and Vice President, Mrs Markum, Secretary, Mrs H. Wooster; Treasurer, Mrs T. Thorssen.

Miss G. Shoultice spent a few days in Namaka.

Mrs Bell and Mr H. Shoultice were visitors to Calgary during the week.

Mr H. W. Wood, Esq., President of the U.F.A., will deliver an address on Sunday, in the I.O.O.F. Hall at 2.30. A large attendance is requested.

Private Stanley Shoultice, who has just returned from the front, and Mr J. Shoultice, sen., visited Harry on Sunday.

The U.F.W.A. will meet with Mrs Mergin on Saturday.

Mrs Bell, Mrs T. Thorssen and

Mrs C. Watson, visited Mrs Spurgeon on Thursday.

Mr and Mrs Hardie Turnbull, Mr and Mrs J. Murray and Dr. Leslie Wright were among the Calgary shooters during the week.

A Patriotic dance will be held in the I.O.O.F. Hall on Friday, Oct. 19th. Strathmore music, Admission, genls. \$1.50.

Lieut. G. H. Berry Lays Down His Life.

It is with deep regret we have to record the sad news that Lieut. G. H. Berry (Bert) Royal Field Artillery, formerly with No. 2 Stationary Hospital, has been killed in Action. He was wounded on Oct. 6th and succumbed to his wounds on October 9th. The young fellow who was in his 23rd year is the eldest son of Mr and Mrs G. T. Berry, of Strathmore. He was well known here and the sad news of his death has cast a gloom over a wide circle of friends. We join with our readers in extending our deepest sympathy to the bereaved family.

Mr and Mrs George Berry and Family desire to express their appreciation for the kind sympathy of their friends in their great sorrow.

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H. W. Wood to Speak at Methodist Church

Mr H. W. Wood, President of the U.F.A. and of the Dominion Council of Agriculture and also member of the Federal Grain Commission will visit Strathmore on Sunday, October 21st and will give two addresses in the Methodist Church at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. He will also speak at Chesham at 3 p.m. Because of his grasp of interest in the farmer's problems and their relation to the nation his interest has become Dominion wide. He was unable to keep his previous engagement with Strathmore because of being called to Ottawa to advise regarding a National Government. He was offered a portfolio in the Dominion Cabinet but declined, feeling that he could better serve the cause of the farmers and of the nation in his present position. Surely every farmer in this district is deeply interested in such a man and his message. We bespeak him a most hearty reception to Strathmore.

The registration forms and application for exemption forms which have been issued in connection with the Military Service Act, may be obtained at the local Post Office.

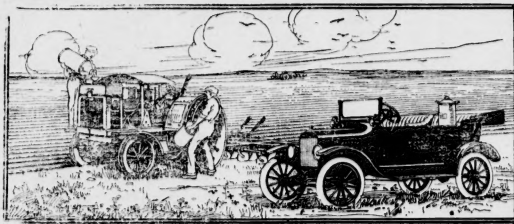


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